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SUBJECT: SHERWIN-WILLIAMS (WEST INDIES) LTD. DESIRE
TO EXPORT TO CUBA

REF: KINGSTON 1034

1. IN ADDITION TO DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE REGULATIONS
CONTAINED IN EXPORT ADMINISTRATION BULLETIN NO. 150 OF
NOVEMBER 24, 1975, EMBASSY SHOULD ALSO NOTE REVISED
TREASURY REGULATIONS PUBLISHED FEDERAL REGISTER OCTOBER 8,
1975.

2. AS EMBASSY CORRECTLY ASSUMES, SHERWIN-WILLIAMS HEAD-
QUARTERS IN CLEVELAND, OHIO SHOULD APPLY TO TREASURY'S
OFFICE OF FOREIGN ASSETS CONTROL AND COMMERCE'S OFFICE OF
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EXPORT CONTROLS FOR LICENSE FOR SUBSIDIARY TO CONDUCT ANY

TRANSACTIONS WITH CUBA. TREASURY REGULATIONS REQUIRE
LICENSE FOR ANY FINANCIAL OR COMMERCIAL TRANSACTION WITH
CUBA, FOR WHICH PARENT APPLIES ON BEHALF OF SUBSIDIARY.
IF US ORIGIN MATERIEL, PARTS AND COMPONENTS ARE INVOLVED,
PARENT MUST ALSO APPLY TO COMMERCE FOR AUTHORIZATION.
COMMERCE AND TREASURY WILL ACT RAPIDLY ON CASES CONTAINING
20 PERCENT OR LESS US ORIGIN MATERIEL, PARTS AND COMPONENTS,
PROVIDED THE END PRODUCT IS NOT STRATEGIC AND NO PRODUCTION

TECHNOLOGY IS INVOLVED. PERCENTAGES ABOVE THIS THRESHOLD
WILL BE JUDGED ON A CASE BY CASE BASIS BUT ARE MUCH
LESS LIKELY TO RECEIVE FAVORABLE CONSIDERATION. KISSINGER

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